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SIR:

In connection with the above-referenced application, please enter this Communication in response to the telephone call by Examiner Nguyen. The Examiner indicated that the "Amendments to the Claims" portion of the amendment submitted on October 1, 2004 did not have the correct status identifiers for each of the claims. As such, Applicant hereby resubmits the entire "Amendments to the Claims" section, attached as Exhibit 1, to replace the previously submitted "Amendments to the Claims" section from the October 1, 2004 amendment. Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.121(h) only the corrected section of the non-compliant amendment document is being resubmitted.

Specifically, in the corrected "Amendments to the Claims" section, the listing of claims

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was changed from "15-25" to "1-25" and the status identifier for claims 1 – 25 was changed from "(cancelled without prejudice)" to "(cancelled)." If the Examiner requires any additional material or has any questions they may contact the undersigned at the number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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